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DIARRHOEA-PREDOMINANT IRRITABLE
BOWEL SYNDROME

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RESPONSE FILED WITH A REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION

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Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir/Madam:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

This paper is responsive to the Office Action dated January 12, 2010, finally rejecting claims 1,2, and 4-11 and is filed with a request for continued examination, and the appropriate extension of time.

The Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.